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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 12-006

Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated November 2011.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

- a. The department should review s. 1.03 (5) (a), Manual, and determine whether the renumbering prescribed in SECTION 4 of the proposed rule is necessary.
- b. The effective date clause of the proposed rule should be included as a numbered section of the rule. [s. 1.02 (4) (a), Manual.]

5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

- a. Throughout the proposed rule, references to the statutes and administrative code should include spaces between the subunits of statutes and administrative rules. For example, “s. 227.11 (2) (a), Stats.” rather than “s. 227.11(2)(a), Stats.”
- b. In the treatment clause of SECTION 2, a space should be inserted between “and” and “1.”.